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COMBINATIONS OF PAROXETINE AND 4-(S)-(4-ACETYL-PIPERAZIN-1-YL)-2-(R)-(4-FLUORO-2-METHYL-PHENYL)-PIPERIDINE-1-CARBOXYLIC ACID '1-(R)-(3,5-BIS-TRIFLUOROMETHYL-PHENYL)-ETHYL!METHYLAMIDE FOR TREATMENT

OF DEPRESSION AND/OR ANXIETY

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington D.C. 20231

## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to substantive examination, please amend and consider the instant application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Specification appear on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims appear on pages 3-5 of this paper.

Remarks appear on page 6 of this paper.

A substitute **Abstract** appears on page 7 of this paper.